

DEATH OF GENERAL HANCOCK.

General Winfield Scott Hancock died suddenly at his headquarters on Governor's Island, N. Y., on Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1886, at 3 o'clock p. m. It was not generally known until his death was announced that he was ill, but he has been struggling for some time past against a complication of physical disorders and the appearance of a carbuncle about a week ago was the last straw. General Hancock was born in Montgomery county, Pa., February 14, 1824. He graduated from the West Point academy in 1844, and in 1846 received his commission as lieutenant of regular infantry. He served during the Mexican war, and at its close was made quartermaster of his regiment. In 1855 he was appointed captain in the quartermaster's department, and took part in the Florida campaign against the Seminole Indians. In 1861 he was appointed a brigadier general of volunteers, and served in the army of the Potomac. He accompanied General McClellan's army to the peninsula in 1862, and distinguished himself at the battle of Williamsburg.

At the battle of Fredericksburg, in December, 1862, he commanded a division, which suffered severely, and for his meritorious conduct on this occasion received a commission as major general of volunteers. In the battle of Gettysburg, July, 1863, Hancock's division bore the prominent part, although he himself was severely wounded in the action. He recovered sufficiently to return to duty December 27, 1863, but was unable to command a body of troops till April, 1864, when he was promoted to the command of the Second army corps, and was engaged in all the battles of the Wilderness campaign, from May 5 to June 19, 1864, when the breaking out of the old wound received at Gettysburg compelled him to leave for a time. He returned to his command in July, and remained with it till November 26, 1864, being subsequently engaged in lighter duties till the close of the war.

He was promoted to be brigadier general of the regular army in August, 1864, brevet major general March 13, 1865, and major general United States army July 26, 1866. After the war General Hancock was successively commander of the middle department (1865-66), of the department of the Missouri (1866-67), of the department of Louisiana and Texas (1867-69), and of the department of Dakota (1869-72). Upon the death of General Meade, November, 1872, the president, in acknowledgement of his great military services, appointed General Hancock to the command of the department of the east, with his headquarters at Governor's Island, New York, a position which he held until the time of his death.

In 1868 General Hancock was a prominent candidate for the democratic nomination to the presidency, which, however, was given to ex-Governor Seymour, of New York. Securing the nomination in 1880, he was defeated in the election by Mr. Garfield, who received a popular majority of 7,018 and an electoral majority of 49 over General Hancock.

General Hancock was buried in his native city, Norristown, Pa., on Saturday last.

Horatio Seymour Dead.

Ex-governor Seymour, the venerable democratic leader, died at exactly 10 o'clock Friday night, 12th inst., at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Roscoe Conkling, in Utica, N. Y. He began to fail perceptibly at 4 o'clock. Shortly afterwards, owing to stimulants being administered him, he rallied a little, but soon relapsed into total unconsciousness. During his illness he experienced little if any physical suffering. He was past 75 years of age. He served his first term as Governor of New York 1853-5, and was again elected in 1862 as a war Democrat. In 1868 General Grant defeated him for President, since which he has been very little in politics. He has always enjoyed a high reputation for scholarship and moral rectitude.

POSTMASTER GENERAL VILAS has taken upon himself to decide that letter carriers do not come under the provisions of the eight-hour law. If we had a few more such men as Mr. Vilas there would be nothing for the higher courts to do in the line of interpreting the laws. But perhaps the letter carriers will insist upon having the matter passed upon by the Supreme Court.

THE President will stick to the telephone jobbers. Not even the laments of the sorrowing mugwumps can wear him from the delectable pitch.

THE technical defense of Attorney-general Garland's telephone transaction by George Ticknor Curtis can hardly do the defendant any good. Mr. Curtis is a specialist—a corporation lawyer—whose appearance in a case generally indicates that the patient is in a pretty critical condition.

THE Democratic papers are all of the opinion that Rogers, who gave the Pan-Electric stock to Mr. Garland, is a crank. Nevertheless, we do not see that any such plea exonerates the man who took the stock. Perhaps these able organs will show later on that the Attorney General was suffering from emotional insanity.

THE investigation of the charges against the honesty of the election of Senator Payne of Ohio, is being conducted in secret, but enough has leaked out to show that money was offered in large sums and illegal ways in Payne's interest. Whether he was cognizant of the means his henchmen used to procure his election is not yet apparent, and its bearing upon the point in issue is of secondary importance. If his election was bought even without his knowledge his title is invalid and his presence in the Senate is a scandal.—Phila. Press.

Congressman White on Ireland.

The Irish World, of New York, publishes a long list of letters from members of Congress on the Irish question, among which we find the following from Hon. Alexander C. White of this district: "Ireland a nation!" Happy thought, cheering motto, and universal watchword of the people of the land of my forefathers—land of the noblest, bravest, best of men. My feelings are intense when I recall the wrongs, indignities, injuries, and injustice heaped upon the Irish people by cold, cruel, heartless, wicked England.

I rejoice in the achievements of Parnell and his followers. The heroic and manly attitude of Ireland to-day in the presence of her eternal foe has no parallel in the annals of history and calls forth the admiration of the whole world.

"Ireland a nation!" God speed the right! and may the time soon come when that sentiment, with all it implies, is fully realized.

"Ireland a nation!" Her miseries can never be told, her outrages never forgotten or forgiven. Having lived through many trials, robbed of every right—and still living! and successfully menacing her ancient enemy—may she, O may she burst the bands and break the shackles welded about her fair hands for centuries, and add one more bright star in the constellation of nations. The land of Washington, the home of Lincoln, and of Grant, free America, will hail with delight the emerald flash of that star around which so many glorious recollections cling.

All honor to Parnell and his noble followers. May they go on in their victorious career until Ireland shall be a nation, in fact as well as in name, is the heartfelt wish of your humble servant.

TRIAL LIST.

- List of causes set down for trial in the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County on the Fourth Monday of February, 1886: 1. Salmon Creek Lumber and Mining Company vs. W. A. Dusenbury, No. 1, December term, 1882. Summons in ejectment. Plea, "Not guilty." 2. Peter Berry, J. M. Clapp, W. T. Scheidt, J. L. Grandin, E. B. Grandin, and heirs of William C. Porter, deceased, vs. L. F. Watson, John S. Davis, Michael Murphy and John Galey, No. 48 September term, 1882. Summons in ejectment. Plea, "Not guilty." 3. Mary E. Wareham vs. Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Coal Company, No. 14 September term, 1884. Summons in trespass. Plea, "Not guilty." 4. Joseph G. Dale and William Lawrence doing business in name and firm of Dale and Lawrence, vs. J. M. Haslet, No. 48, September term, 1884. Summons in assumpsit. Plea, "Non assumpsit, payment with leave, &c." 5. A. J. Landers for use of G. W. Roward, vs. H. M. L. Dithridge, and G. W. Dithridge her husband, No. 38, December term, 1884. Summons in account rendered. Plea, "Coverture." 6. Aaron Brockway vs. Chess Stoner and W. J. Stoner doing business as Stoner Brothers, No. 54 May term, 1885. Summons in trespass. Plea, "Not guilty." 7. W. A. Eagles vs. Samuel Clark, No. 5, September term, 1885. Appeal from justice. Plea, "Payment, payment with leave, &c." 8. Robinson & Bonner vs. Park Copeland, No. 19, December term, 1885. Appeal from justice. Plea, "Non assumpsit, payment with leave, &c." C. M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary, Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 28, 1886.

License Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for license have been filed in my office, to be heard at the next session of the Court: 1. Thomas W. Corah, hotel, Howe Twp. 2. R. B. Crawford, hotel, Tionesta Boro. 3. O. C. Brownell, hotel, Tionesta Boro. CURTIS M. SHAWKEY, Clerk Quarter Sessions, Tionesta, Pa., Feb. 2, 1886.

COUNTY AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1885.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To balance', 'By county orders paid', 'To costs paid by S. E. Sutton', etc.

WILLIAM SMEARBAUGH, Treasurer, in account with the Commissioners of Forest County.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To balance', 'By voucher State Treasurer', 'By 3 per cent. commission on same', etc.

WILLIAM SMEARBAUGH, Treasurer, in account with Redemption Fund, Forest County, for the year ending January 4, 1886.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To balance Jan. 6, 1885', 'To George C. Ewing', 'To L. Moyer', etc.

J. R. CHADWICK, Commissioner, in account with Forest County.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To County orders', 'By 50 day's service', 'By 167 miles travel', etc.

OLIVER BYERLY, Commissioner, in account with Forest County.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To County orders', 'By 62 day's service', 'By 513 miles travel', etc.

W. D. SHIELDS, Commissioner, in account with Forest County.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To County orders', 'By 524 day's service', 'By 682 miles travel', etc.

CURTIS M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary, &c., in account with the Commissioners of Forest County.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To County orders', 'By fees', etc.

LEONARD AGNEW, Sheriff, in account with the Commissioners of Forest County.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'To County orders', 'By fees', etc.

FOREST COUNTY, ss: We, the undersigned Auditors of Forest County, do hereby certify that we met at the Commissioners' office in said county according to law, and did audit and adjust the several accounts of the Treasurer, Sheriff, Prothonotary and County Commissioners for the year ending January 4, 1886, and find them as set forth in the foregoing report. In testimony of which we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 15th day of January, 1886.

JAMES A. SCOTT, [L.S.] T. W. CORAH, [L.S.] GEO. ZUENDEL, [L.S.] County Auditors.

Attest—J. H. DINGMAN, Clerk. EXPENDITURES of Forest County for the year ending January 4, 1886.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'County Commissioners', 'County Commissioners' Clerk', 'Counsel fees', etc.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT of Forest County for the year ending January 4, 1886.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'Balance due on County account by William Smearbaugh, Treasurer', 'Seated lands returned for 1885', etc.

ASSETS.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'Balance due on County account by William Smearbaugh, Treasurer', 'Seated lands returned for 1885', etc.

LIABILITIES.

Table with columns for items and amounts. Includes entries like 'Due W. W. Lewis', 'Due Mrs. H. S. Thomas', etc.

FOREST COUNTY, ss: Pursuant to law we, the undersigned Commissioners of Forest County, publish the foregoing exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of said County for the year ending January 4, 1886. Witness our hands and seals this 16th day of January, A. D. 1886.

J. R. CHADWICK, [L.S.] OLIVER BYERLY, [L.S.] W. D. SHIELDS, [L.S.] County Commissioners. Attest—J. T. BRENNAN, Clerk.

Divorce Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, No. 51 September Term, 1885. Mary E. Moon, by her next friend, S. C. Johnson, Libellant, vs. James L. Moon, Respondent. Alias Subpoena in Divorce. Forest County, ss. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting: Whereas, Mary E. Moon, by her next friend S. C. Johnson, did on the tenth day of August, 1885, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for said County, praying for the causes therein set forth, that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you James L. Moon. We, therefore, command you, as we have before, the said James L. Moon, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Tionesta, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of Forest, on the Fourth Monday of February next, to answer the petition or libel of the said Mary E. Moon, and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Mary E. Moon, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, according to the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided. Herein full not.

Witness the Hon. Wm. D. Brown, President of our said Court, at Tionesta, the 25th day of October, 1885.

C. M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary. To James L. Moon, Respondent: You are hereby notified to enter an appearance in above stated case on Monday, the 22d day of February, 1886.

L. AGNEW, Sheriff. Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 2, 1886.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an act of the general assembly of the State of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of natural gas companies," approved the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1885, application will be made to the governor, at Harrisburg, Pa., on Thursday, February 25, 1886, at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, or as soon thereafter as may be, for the incorporation of a company to be known as "United Natural Gas Company," whose character and object shall be the producing, dealing in, transporting, storing, and supplying natural gas in the counties of Venango, Butler, Armstrong, Clarion, Forest, Warren, Elk and McKean, in the State of Pennsylvania, and in the counties of Cattaraugus, Allegany and Erie, in the State of New York. The places where the business of said company in its various branches is to be conducted are Oil City, Butler, Millerstown, Karnas City, Petrolia, Parker City, Foxburg, St. Petersburg, Edenburg, Balltown, Warren, Kendall, Rixford, Duke Centre, Olean, Bolivar, Richburg, Buffalo and other towns, villages and places in counties aforesaid. The principal office or place of business of said company will be at Oil City, Pa. The names of five of the subscribers to the capital stock of said company are: BENJAMIN BREWSTER, DANIEL O'DAY, W.M.T. SCHEIDE, C. N. PAYNE, JOSEPH SELP. H. McSWENEY, Solicitor.

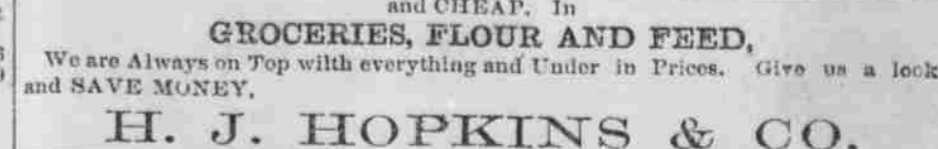
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